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PUBLIC COOLING STATION: JUNE 30, 2023 - JULY 2, 2023

ANNISTON, AL -- The City of Anniston asks that everyone please be aware of rising temperatures that are projected to peak towards the end of this week and into the weekend. In light of the forecasted weather conditions, a public cooling station at The Bridge at the Anniston First United Methodist Church (1400 Noble St, Anniston, AL 36201) will open from 11:00 AM until 5:00 PM from Friday, June 30, through Sunday, July 2. For more information on the cooling station, please visit: https://tinyurl.com/4nsu49ju.

In addition, community members should know that shelter is also available through **Interfaith Ministries of Calhoun County** (1431 Gurnee Ave, Anniston, AL 36201) from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM, Monday through Thursday, as well as at **The Right Place** (105 W 15th St, Anniston, AL 36201) from 1:30 PM until 4:00 PM, Monday through Thursday.

This cooling station has been made possible by United Way of East Central Alabama, in partnership with the Anniston First United Methodist Church, and His Hands and Feet Ministries.

To contact the cooling station, please call: <u>256-848-7755</u>. To contact Interfaith Ministries, please call: <u>256-237-1472</u>. To contact The Right Place, please call: <u>256-238-6231</u>.

For more information on other community resources, please contact our local United Way via their 24/7 helpline by dialing 2-1-1.











